

# FISCAL NOTE

## SB 1895

March 15, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Prohibits hunting through the Internet and creates a Class A misdemeanor for violations involving wildlife valued at under \$500 and a Class E felony for violations involving wildlife valued at over \$500.

### ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase State Expenditures - \$1,100 / Incarceration\***  
**Increase State Revenues – Not Significant / Wildlife Resources Fund**

**Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant**  
**Increase Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant**

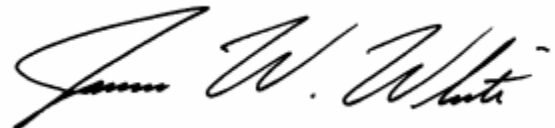
Assumptions:

- The amount of fines collected would not be significant.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for local governments to experience any significant increase in revenues or expenditures.
- One Class E felony conviction every five years.

*\*Section 9-6-119, TCA, requires that: For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law.*

### CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director

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